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# NATIONAL EGG MARKET AT-A-GLANCE



In New York, prices were unchanged on all sizes when compared to Thursday's values. The market tone was mostly steady entering the weekend. Demand into all channels was light to moderate. Supplies were noted as sufficient to available for immediate trade needs. Breaking stock offerings were usually sufficient for the light demand. Schedules were normal to less than normal. Spent hens were at least adequate for a fair to fairly good demand. Slaughter schedules were noted as about normal for the upcoming week.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED WAREHOUSE, CENTS PER DOZEN.

MIDWEST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was mostly steady. Cartoned egg sales were light to usually moderate. Food service demand was mostly light. Supplies were adequate to available for current needs.

	Range	Mostly
EXTRA LARGE	39-48	42-45
LARGE	38-47	40-43
MEDIUM	33-42	35-38

IA-MN-WI Prices paid to			
producers.	Range	Mostly	
LARGE	20-29	24	
MEDIUM	15-21	19	
SMALL	7-11		

MIDWEST AREA: IA,IL,IN,KY,MI,MN,OH,NE,ND,SD,WI,WV,Western NY, and Western PA

NORTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged, however asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending unchanged on all sizes. Trade sentiment was mostly steady entering the weekend. Demand into all outlets was light to moderate. Supplies were adequate to available for current needs. Breaking stock offerings were usually sufficient for normal to less than normal schedules. Demand was noted as light. Spent hens were at least adequate for the fair to fairly good demand. Processing schedules were reported as about normal for the upcoming week.

mal for the upcoming week.	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	47-62	51-54
LARGE	43-57	50-52
MEDIUM	37-50	41-44
NORTHEAST AREA: CT, DC, DE, MA, MD, ME,	NH, Eastern NJ	, Eastern NY, PA,
RI, Northern VA, and VT		

SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was mostly steady. Retail demand was light to usually moderate. Food service movement was mostly light. Supplies were adequate to available for current needs. Central states breaking stock prices were unchanged with checks and undergrades 1 cent higher. Demand was quiet for the very light offerings. Floor stocks were in close balance to fully adequate. Schedules were full time. Trade sentiment about steady.

timent about steady.	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	48.5-57	50-53
LARGE	46.5-55	48-51
MEDIUM	41.5-50	43-46
SOUTH CENTRAL AREA: AR AZ CO KS LA MO N	M OK and TX	

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Prices were unchanged. Asking prices for next week's deliveries were trending unchanged on larger sizes and lower on mediums. The market tone was about steady entering the weekend. Demand continued light to moderate. Supplies were fully adequate for current needs. Breaking stock offerings were usually sufficient for the light demand. Light type fowl were at least adequate for the fair to fairly good demand.

for the fair to fairly good demand.	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	47.5-65.25	49-52
LARGE	46-62.25	47-50
MEDIUM	40.5-54.25	41-45
SOUTHEAST AREA: ALL EL GA MS NO SOLI	Eastern TN and Sc	outhern VA

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN.

**NEW YORK EGGS** Prices were unchanged on all sizes when compared to Thursday's values. Trade sentiment was mostly steady entering the weekend. Demand into all channels was light to moderate Supplies were fully adequate for immediate trade requirements.

	RANGE
EXTRA LARGE	57-61
LARGE	55-59
MEDIUM	49-53

MIDWEST REGIONAL	RANGE	MOSTLY
EXTRA LARGE	46-54	47-49
LARGE	44-52	45-47
MEDIUM	39-47	40-424

<u>WESTERN REGIONAL</u>. Prices were unchanged. The market tone was about steady with asking prices for next week unchanged on all sizes throughout the region. Retailer demand was moderate. Offerings were ample.

# **CALIFORNIA**

Prices unchanged. The market tone was about steady with asking prices for next week unchanged on all sizes.. Retailer demand mainly moderate. Offerings ample. Small benchmark price 57.

<u>CALIFORNIA</u> Shell egg marketer's benchmark price for negotiated egg sales of USDA Grade AA and Grade AA in cartons, cents per dozen. This price does not reflect discounts or other contract terms.

DANCE

	MANGE
JUMBO	99
EXTRA LARGE	92
LARGE	84
MEDIUM	77

#### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS

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PER DOZEN.	RANGE
JUMBO	75-88
EXTRA LARGE	73-79
LARGE	71-74
MEDIUM	64-67

PRICES TO CONSUMERS MAJOR CHAINS, METROPOLITAN AREA, USDA GRADE AA AND GRADE AA, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, CENTS PER

DOZEN.	RANGE
JUMBO	269-329
EXTRA LARGE	249-309
LARGE	199-239
MEDIUM	189-219

<u>CENTRAL REGION BREAKING STOCK</u> Breaking stock prices were unchanged with checks and undergrades 1 cent higher. Demand was quiet with offerings very light. Floor stocks in close balance to fully adequate. Schedules full-time. Trade sentiment about steady. Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

BREAKING STOCK 24-27 24-26 CHECKS & UNDERGRADES 14-18 14-16 CENTRAL STATES AREA: AR, CO, IA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MI, MN, MO, NM, ND, NE, OH, OK, SD, TX, WI

EASTERN REGION BREAKING STOCK Mostly prices were unchanged when compared to early week trading. Trade sentiment was generally steady with traders watching further market developments. However, offerings were usually sufficient for the light and unaggressive demand. Breaking schedules were normal to less than normal. Cases broken under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 04-Feb-2006 were 4% less than the previous week, but 1% more than a year ago.

Prices in cents per dozen, delivered to breakers, 48 lb. minimum net weight per 30 dozen case, eggs from table egg layers. Packaging may vary.

	KANGE	MOSILI
BREAKING STOCK	23-27	23-26
CHECKS & UNDERGRADES	11-18	12-16
EASTERN STATES AREA: AL, CT, DE, FL, GA, KY	, ME, MD, MA,	MS, NH, NJ,
NY, NC, PA, RI, SC, TN, VT, VA, WV		

EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION - W/E 04-Feb-2006 (LBS IN THOUSANDS) (EXCLUDES INGREDIENTS)

	CASES BROKEN	LIQUID WHOLE	LIQUID WHITE	LIQUID YOLK	DRIED	INED
CW	1,299,852	31,124	12,720	6,865	3,331	4,480
PW	1,283,848	30,565	12,430	7,175	3,099	4,319
LY	1,204,414	28,985	11,296	6,130	2,686	4,174
% PW	1%	2%	2%	-4%	7%	4%
% LY	8%	7%	13%	12%	24%	7%
2006	6,365,305	153,131	61,192	33,774	15,545	21,780
2005	6,176,677	146,643	60,909	32,592	15,754	21,874
% YTD	3%	4%	0%	4%	-1%	0%

Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Included) 42.46 42.44 42.00 Average Yield Per Case - (Inedible Excluded) 39.01 39.08 38.53

**IN-LINE PRODUCTION** (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material)

	Cases	s Broken	Liqu	id whole
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total
CURRENT WEEK	606,856	46.7%	16,141	51.9%
PREVIOUS WEEK	597,253	46.5%	15,434	50.5%
LAST YEAR	494,917	41.1%	12,783	44.1%

<u>SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FROZEN</u> Prices unchanged on whole and whites, 2 cents lower on yolks. Southern California breaking activity for the week ending 2/4 was 2% more than the previous week. Frozen demand moderate with freezer stocks adequate.

Wholesale selling prices, f.o.b. shipping point (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.)

	RANGE
WHOLE	46-50
WHITES	43-46
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	61-64
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	58-61

<u>CENTRAL REGION FROZEN</u> Frozen whole egg prices ranged 2 to 3 cents lower with whites unchanged to 2 cents higher. Sugared and salted yolk prices ranged 1 to 2 cents lower than last week's reported prices. Trade sentiment was about steady for all frozen products as most observers felt frozen markets were hovering near bottomed pricing. Demand was reported as fair with some improvement seen in frozen sugared and salted yolk movement into export channels. Offerings were easily adequate for needs. Central States breaking stock prices were unchanged when compared to last week's prices.

TRUCKLOTS	<b>RANGE</b>	MOSTLY
WHOLE	40-42	
WHITES	38-44	38-40
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	54-60	54-58
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	51-56	51-54

Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb. containers)

EASTERN REGION FROZEN Majority prices were irregular on whites, balance of items were lower when compared to a week earlier. Demand and trading was light. Offerings were adequate for current trade requirements. Trade sentiment was usually no better than steady. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending 04-Feb-2006 were 3% lower than a week earlier, but 2% more than a year ago. Wholesale selling prices (cents per lb. in 30 lb containers)

TRU	CKLOTS	(MIN.	25 CONT.)			
	<b>RANGE</b>	MOSTLY	RANGE			
WHOLE	38-45	38-42	46-51			
BLENDS (/)	<b>TFEWR</b>		54-78			
WHITES	35-44	38-40	43-55			
SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	54-59	55-59	62-76			
SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS)	51-55	52-55	58-75			
(/) - Whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids.						

NATIONAL DRIED Mostly prices were unchanged on blends and albumen, unchanged to lower on yolks, and lower on whole when compared to a week earlier. Demand and movement was generally light. Offerings were reported as sufficient for current needs. Trade sentiment was barely steady on yolks and whole, and usually steady on albumen. Dried eggs processed under federal inspection for the week ending 04-Feb-2006 were 7% higher than the previous week, and 24% more than last year. The total year to date production on dried eggs produced were 1% below a year ago.

Wholesale selling prices, dollars per lb., in cont., Trucklot and LTL volumes.

WHOLE
1.36-1.57 MOSTLY1.39-1.45

YOLKS
1.33-1.56 MOSTLY1.35-1.45

ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED
2.55-2.80 MOSTLY2.60-2.75

BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)1.25-1.45 MOSTLY1.35-1.40

NATIONAL LIQUID Pasteurized salt yolk reported from 38 to 39 cents fob with pasteurized whites reported at 32.5 cents fob. Trade sentiment was about steady for whole egg, steady for whites, and cautiously steady to barely steady for yolk. Spot demand was fair to instances fairly good for whole egg and whites as many perceive markets nearing the bottom. Liquid yolk demand was quiet. Offerings were fully adequate for all liquid products. Central States breaking stock prices were unchanged when compared to the previous week's reported prices.

Prices paid cents per lb., FOB Plant to 10:00 AM non-pasteurized trucklot. For delivery within 14 days.

CLASS	LOADS	RANGE	WTD. AVG.	CHANGE FROM LW
WHOLE	30	20-21.75	21.33	30
WHITES	28	23-26.25	24.67	57
YOLKS	5	37-38.75	37.35	

TRAILER LOAD EGG SALES WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICES (CENTS/DOZ) NATIONAL TRADING FOR FEB 03, 2006-FEB 09, 2006																
CURRENT LOADS 96.50 FUTURE LOADS 27.00 TOTAL LOADS 123.50																
		5	SE	N	E	N	IW		I	5	SC	N	W	5	SW	
(	CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS	CLASS	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	ORG	DST	LOADS
(	GNR W 1	26.25	_	27.40	28.67	_	_	9.00	GL W J	49.00	_	_	_	_	60.71	3.50
(	GL W J	_	_	43.00	44.00	48.17	_	2.50	GL W XL	34.75	37.75	_	50.00	44.00	45.91	13.00
(	GL W XL	_	39.00	36.00	36.33	33.65	35.25	40.75	GL W LG	32.64	39.74	_	43.38	_	43.96	20.75
(	GL W LG	_	36.88	31.67	34.74	32.18	32.00	23.00	GL W MD	28.50	34.82	30.00	_	_	35.75	9.25
(	GL W MD	36.33	30.50	27.80	28.00	24.19	31.25	15.25	GL BR LG	48.00	_	_	70.00	_	58.00	1.75
(	GL W SM	_	_	23.00	22.00	19.00	26.00	6.00	NRBS - 48	23.50	_	_	_	_	_	4.00
(	GL BR LG	_	_	_	_	55.00	_	.75								
١	NRBS - 48	_	_	_	_	24.00	26.24	33.00								
١	NRBS - 45	_	_	23.00	25.75	_	26.00	11.00								
١	NRBS - 42	_	_	_	_	_	23.71	7.00								
١	NRBS - 39	_	_	_	_	_	18.75	8.00								
N	NRBS - 36		_	_	_	11.75	15.00	2.00								

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES ARE LISTED FOR VARIOUS CLASSES PRICED BY ORIGIN AND/OR DESTINATION FOR 6 REGIONS. THE LOADS COLUMN REFLECTS TOTAL LOADS REPORTED AND INCLUDES LOADS WITH PRICES TO BE DETERMINED LATER. NRBS CATEGORIES REPRESENT NET WEIGHT-MATERIAL MAY OR MAY NOT BE INCLUDED. LOAD MOVEMENT REPRESENTS TOTAL MOVEMENT WITHIN 6 REGIONS.

#### LIGHT TYPE HENS

CENTS PER HEAD, GENERALLY FOR REMOVAL
WITHIN THE NEXT 10 DAYS
(INCLUDES HANDLING, FREIGHT AND ANY OTHER
CHARGES, WEIGHTS AVERAGE ABOUT 3.50 POUNDS)

**EASTERN REGION LIGHT LIVE HEN** Prices were unchanged when compared to a week earlier. Demand was fair to fairly good for the at least adequate offerings of spent hens. Processing schedules were about normal. Trade sentiment was steady.

REMOVAL COST RANGE MAJORITY 3-11 7-10

SOUTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HEN Disposal costs were TFEWR.

Demand was light for adequate offerings of light hens. Finished sales were slow. Schedules were reduced. Trade sentiment was about steady.

RANGE MAJORITY
REMOVAL COST

TOO FEW TO REPORT

**NORTH CENTRAL LIGHT LIVE HEN** Removal costs about unchanged. Demand was fair to fairly good with offerings adequate to fully adequate. Schedules normal. Trade sentiment steady.

REMOVAL COST 0-8.5 MAJORITY

<u>WEST COAST LIGHT LIVE HEN</u> Plant schedules were moderate. Offerings were generally adequate.

# SHELL EGGS-COMBINED REGIONAL

Average prices on sales to volume buyers, Grade A Large or better, White eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

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REGIONS	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	
NORTHEAST	52.50	51.00	42.50	
SOUTHEAST	50.50	48.50	43.00	
MIDWEST	43.50	41.50	36.50	
SOUTH CENTRAL	51.50	49.50	44.50	
COMBINED REGIO	NAL 49.55	47.68	41.73	

Computed from simple weekly averages weighted by regional area populations.

**NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MARKET** Trading was too few to report for heavy canners; unchanged on lights when compared to the previous week. Demand was light to no better than fair for light canners; fair to moderate for heavy canners with most available supplies being used internally. Offerings ranged adequate to fully adequate for current trade needs. Processing schedules were mostly normal to instances less than normal. The undertone was steady.

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, WITHOUT FREIGHT COST

LIGHT CANNER HENS (LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)

HEAVY CANNER HENS (WITHOUT NECKS)

20-29 MAJORITY 24.5-25.5 TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

CENTS PER POUND, CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS, FREIGHT COST INCLUDED

LIGHT CANNER HENS
(LINE RUN WITHOUT NECKS)

HEAVY CANNER HENS
(WITHOUT NECKS)

21-32 MAJORITY 26-27 TOO FEW SALES TO REPORT

# LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER INSPECTION W/E 04-FEB-06 U.S. FOWL SLAUGHTERED DOMESTICALLY

	LIGHT HENS	HEAVY HENS —THOUSANDS—	TOTAL HENS
Head	1,422	1,461	2,883
Last Week	1,408	1,330	2,738
Same week yr ago	1,321	1,336	2,657
To-date/2006	7,090	6,950	14,040
To-date/2005	7,175	6,267	13,442

# U.S. FOWL SLAUGHTERED IN CANADA

HEAVY HENS

TOTAL HENS

LIGHT HENS

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		THOUSANDS-	
Head	251	0	251
Last Week	304	4	308
Same week yr ago	225	4	229
To-date/2006	1,235	7	1,242
To-date/2005	1,628	4	1,632

# TOTAL U.S. FOWL SLAUGHTERED IN THE U.S. AND CANADA

	LIGHT HENS	HEAVY HENS	TOTAL HENS
		-THOUSANDS-	
Head	1,673	1,461	3,134
Last Week	1,712	1,334	3,046
Same week yr ago	1,546	1,340	2,886
To-date/2006	8,325	6,957	15,282
To-date/2005	8.803	6.271	15.074

Source: USDA/AMS Poultry Programs, Market News Branch

#### Inspected Egg Products-U.S. & Canada Export/Import Trade

## U.S. Exports to Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

Week Ending J	anuary 28, 2	Year-To-	-Date	
TYPE	2006	2005 1/	2006 2/	2005
Liquid	261	158	832	984
Frozen	0	0	40	0
Dried	0	1	0	7
Total	261	159	872	991

#### U.S. Imports From Canada, in Pounds (000) (Preliminary)

anuary 28, 20	Year-To	-Date	
2006	2005 1/	2006 2/	2005
125	260	237	839
11	5	106	64
0	0	0	120
136	265	343	1,023
	2006 125 11 0	125 260 11 5 0 0	2006     2005 1/     2006 2/       125     260     237       11     5     106       0     0     0

## **Inspected Shell Eggs**

# U.S Exports To Canada, In 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary)

Week Ending Ja	anuary 28, 2	Year-To-Date		
TYPE	2006	2005 1/	2006 2/	2005
Jumbo	0	0	0	0
Extra Large	450	7,200	2,430	13,200
Large	570	14,508	3,090	33,965
Medium	0	0	180	2,715
Ungraded	0	0	900	0
Misc	0	0	0	0
Total	1,020	21,708	6,600	49,880

<sup>1/</sup> Comparable Week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

Data Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section Source: USDA/AMS Poultry Programs, Market News Branch.

# **EGG PRODUCTS**

# **Shell Eggs Broken Down 5 Percent**

**Shell eggs** broken totaled 161 million dozen during December 2005, down 5 percent from December a year ago and 4 percent below the 167 million broken last month.

December 2005 contained 22 weekdays (including one holiday) and five Saturdays. December 2004 contained 23 weekdays (including two holidays) and four Saturdays.

During calendar year 2005 through December, shell eggs broken totaled 2.05 billion dozen, up 6 percent from the 1.93 billion dozen broken in the comparable period in 2004. Total edible liquid from eggs broken in 2005 was 2.65 billion pounds, up 7 percent from 2004.

COMMERCIAL EGG N	(Receipts From Producers)			
W/E 04-FEB-2006	CASES	PERCENT CHANGE FROM		
REGIONS (II	N THOUS)	PW	LY	
North Atlantic	205.1	-2	0	
East North Central	620.0	2	11	
West North Central	297.6	2	10	
South Atlantic	194.0	-2	-11	
South Central	59.3	1	-15	
West	201.0	-6	6	
Total	1564.5	0	4	
Matched Plants repo	84	84		

Areas Covered: North Atlantic (ME,VT,MA,RI,CT,NH,NY,PA,NJ,MC,DE) East North Central (WI,IL,MI,OH,IN) West North Central (IA,MN,MO,KS,SD) South Atlantic (SC,NC,VA,GA,FL,KY) South Central (TN,AL,AR,MS,OK) West (CA,CO,WA,OR,UT)

<b>MOVEMENT OF EGG</b>	W/E 04-F	EB-2006		
Selected	CW	LW	PERCENT	CHANGE
<b>Consuming Centers</b>	(T	housands)	LW	LY
Atlanta	24.0	27.6	-13	-10
Boston	3.1	3.0	3	-6
Chicago	87.5	70.5	24	33
Detroit	19.5	21.7	-10	-10
Kansas City	5.9	3.7	59	-5
Los Angeles	110.4	115.1	-4	25
New Orleans	5.0	6.3	-21	-33
New York	32.7	32.3	1	8
St. Louis	17.8	18.8	-5	13
San Francisco	18.1	18.8	-4	-3
Total	324.0	317.8	2	14
4 Week Moving Avg.	325.5			

<u>COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS -</u> Selected Centers (INCL GOVT STOCKS) (IN THOUSANDS)

,	ı	Frozen	Eggs/LBS	Turkeys/LBS	Processed other Poultry/LBS
AM	02/06/0	)6	3,468	54,278	75,253
AM	01/01/0	)6	3,410	31,772	67,392
CHG			58	22506	7861
PCT (	CHG		2%	71%	12%

Based on the historical relationship of the preliminary U.S. Cold Storage holdings report of December 31, 2005 and the selected centers storage report, the expected U.S. holdings on February 1, 2006 are:

FROZEN EGGS 21 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS 5% TURKEYS 334 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS 5% POULTRY 1,008 MIL LBS PLUS OR MINUS 5%

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT Feb 7, 2006

Prices paid per dozen Grade A Brown eggs in cartons delivered store door.

EXT	RA LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MAINE	102	98	73	53
MOSTLY	-	-	-	-
NEW HAMPSHIRE	94-98	91-95	66-70	48-52
MOSTLY	96-97	93-94	68-69	50-51
RHODE ISLAND	97-101	95-99	69-73	52-56
MOSTLY	97	95	69	52
VERMONT	100-105	97-100	71-79	-
MOSTLY	100	97	71	_

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<sup>2/</sup> Includes revisions to previous week(s).

## **MONTHLY INVENTORY U.S. DRIED EGGS**

AS OF JANUARY 31, 2005

COMPARISONS ON THE BASIS OF MATCHED PLANTS

CLASS	NUMBER OF POUNDS	% CHANGE LAST MONTH	% CHANGE LAST YEAR
WHOLE			
PLAIN	3,662,033	37%	19%
FREE FLOWING	7,121,180	7%	55%
SUBTOTAL:	10,783,213	16%	41%
WHITE (ALBUMEN)	7,186,766	- 0%	-9%
YOLK			
PLAIN	2,157,680	13%	13%
FREE FLOWING (W/SODIUM SILICO ALUMINATE)	6,524,720	6%	123%
SUBTOTAL:	8,682,400	8%	80%
BLENDS 1/			
WHOLE	1,512,849	- 7%	- 3%
WHITE	106,250	13%	86%
YOLK	18,800	0%	11%
SUBTOTAL:	1,637,899	- 6%	0%
TOTAL:	28,290,278		

DRIED EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION:

JANUARY 01, 2005 - JANUARY 28, 2006

TOTAL 12,214,000 POUNDS.

Calculations were adjusted to represent matched plants from current month compared to previous month, and current month compared to previous year. Subsequently, the percent change calculations may be based on different cooperators if directly compared with data on previous reports.

1/: Blended with a percentage of additives including, but not limited to, sugar, salt, soy, and corn syrup.